

Curriculum Vitae

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Educational Background and Qualifications

2000 – 2005 PhD in Health Economics, University of Aberdeen (UK)
1999 – 2000 MSc in Health Economics, University of York (UK)

1998 – 2000 MPhil in Applied Economics (By research; Distinction); University of Extremadura (Spain)
1993 – 1998 BSc in Economics & Business Administration (Best Student Prize); University of Extremadura

Membership of Professional Bodies and/ or Professional Qualifications

Royal Economic Society (RES)
Scottish Economic Society (SES)
UK Health Economists. Study Group (HESG)
International Health Economics Association (iHEA)
UK Preference Elicitation Group (PEG)
Qualitative methods interest group. College of Life Sciences and Medicine

Employment History

Jan-05~Present RESEARCH FELLOW, Health Economics Research Unit (HERU), University of Aberdeen (UK)
Oct-00 ~ Dec-04 Full-time PhD STUDENT, Health Economics Research Unit (HERU), University of Aberdeen
Jan-99 ~ Dec-00 RESEARCH FELLOW Dpt. Applied Economics & Business Administration, U. Extremadura

Bibliography

Refereed papers

- Ryan, M. and **Amaya-Amaya, M.**, The threats to and the hopes for estimating benefits. *Health Economics*, 2005; 14 (6), 609-620
- San Miguel, F, Ryan, M and **M. Amaya-Amaya**. Irrational choice: a quantitative and a qualitative investigation using stated preferences, *Health Economics*, 2005; 14 (3), 307-322

- Ryan, M., Watson, V. and **Amaya-Amaya, ,M.** Current methodological issues in the monetary valuation of benefits in health economics Expert Review of Pharmacoeconomics & Outcomes Research, 2003, 3(6), 717-727
- Amaya-Amaya, M., Estimating demand for health care: a grouped data regression approach. Institute of Fiscal Studies. Spain. Working papers Series 5/2001.

Conference presentations

Amaya-Amaya, M. Ludbrook, A. and Goode, A. Estimating smoking cessation relapse rates for policy evaluation. Abstract accepted for 6th European Conference of Health Economists 6-9 July 2006 Budapest, Hungary

Amaya-Amaya, M. Momodou, K., Ryan, M and Odejar, M. Complexity effects in stated preference choice experiments: a simulation exercise. Presented at College des Economistes de la Sante- Health Economics Study Group, Paris, January 2004.

Amaya-Amaya, M. and Ryan, M. Decision strategy switching in choice experiments: an exploratory analysis in health economics. Health Economics Study Group Summer meeting. University of Canterbury, July 2003. Paper presented at the Workshop .Advancing the methodology of discrete choice experiments in health care., Oxford, 22-23 Sep., 2003.

Amaya-Amaya, M. and Ryan, M. Incorporating cut-offs in health care stated choice models. International Health Economists Association (iHEa) meeting. San Francisco (CA), June, 2003. Revised version of the paper presented at the Workshop .Advancing the methodology of discrete choice experiments in health care. , Oxford, 22-23 Sep., 2003.

Amaya-Amaya, M. .None matters. Alternative modelling approaches to .no choice. options in stated choice experiments. International Health Economists Association (iHEa) meeting. San Francisco, June, 2003

Amaya-Amaya, M. Ryan, M and Mavromaras K. The impact of complexity in stated choices in health care. Presented at Scottish Economic Society 2003 Annual Meeting, Glasgow , 25-26 march 2003.

Amaya-Amaya, M., Ryan, M. and San Miguel, F. Do individuals adopt non-compensatory decision-making heuristics? Evidence from health-care Discrete choice/conjoint workshop. Institute Public health/Health Economics University of Southern Denmark. Odense 18-19 April, 2002

Abstracts

The impact of complexity and cumulative cognitive burden in choice experiments in health care. La Organizacion Territorial de la Sanidad. XII Jornadas de Economia de la Salud Proceedings. Pamplona 29-31 May 2002

Books and Reviews

Other Reports, Commissions and Exhibitions

Grants Awarded - with dates, and co-holders.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Professional Institute.2006; 100% tuition scholarship **\$3300** to attend the course Individual Choice Behavior: Theory and Application of Discrete Choice Analysis, MIT campus, Cambridge (MA), 19-23 June 2006

UK Health Economics Study Group; 2004; Travel grant **£200** 1st workshop Economistes de la Sante- Health Economists Study Group Paris January 2004

UK Health Economics Study Group; 2003; Travel grant **£1000** to attend the meeting of the International Health Economists Association Conference in San Francisco; July 2003

Spanish Ministry of Education and Culture: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003. Small grants to support researchers studying abroad (Health Economics Research Unit, Scotland); Total: **£7500**

Other Activities

Organisation committees

- Applied Health Econometrics Working Group (HEWG) Health Economics Research Unit. Aberdeen
- Workshop .Using Stated Choice Experiments in Health Economics.. Health Economics Research Unit. Aberdeen. 20-22 November 2003

Journal Refereeing

- Health Economics. The journal Wiley.